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## 250 ATTEND DINNER AT HOTEL OPENING

Daniel Boone Tavern Makes Its Formal Bow to State of Missouri.

### STEPHENS PRESIDES

Messages of Congratulation Indicate Widespread Interest in New Hostelry.

Columbia celebrated the formal opening of the New Daniel Boone Tavern last night with a banquet in the hotel ballroom attended by 250 persons, including a number from out of town.

The banquet was one of the most significant ever held in Columbia. Many leading business and professional men of Missouri, unable to be present, expressed by letter or telegram their interest in the new improvement and their regrets at not being able to attend the opening. Those who attended pronounced the event most successful in showing the appreciation of this city for the addition to its hotel facilities, and the interest of the community in the enterprise.

#### Arrangement of Tables.

At 7:30 o'clock the guests were seated at the tables filling the large ballroom. At the south end was the speakers' table, decorated with flowers and ferns. The tables occupying the rest of the room were arranged in tree-like fashion, with a long table extending the length of the hall, flanked on each side by tables set obliquely.

At each plate was a printed announcement of the formal opening of the Tavern, giving the menu and the list of speakers. On the back of the booklet was a picture representing the arrival of Daniel Boone at the present site of Columbia, with a sketch of the hotel bearing his name in the background. Each guest was also provided with a booklet entitled "Our Anthems—State and National," which contained the words of "America," "The Star Spangled Banner," "Old Missouri," and "Auld Lang Syne."

The five-course dinner was served by a large force of negro waiters. At the close of the meal, E. W. Stephens, as toastmaster, opened the program of speeches. Calling attention to the events which make this a time for unusual patriotism, the toastmaster called upon all the guests to join in singing "America."

#### Messages From Out of Town.

To prove that the celebration was not merely local but of statewide interest, Mr. Stephens read letters and telegrams from the following persons expressing their regrets at not being able to attend: Judge John F. Phillips of Kansas City, former federal judge; George S. Johns, editor of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch; W. M. Ledbetter, of the editorial staff of the St. Louis Republic; L. C. Nelson of St. Louis, S. J. Whitmore and Joseph Reichele of the Muehlebach Hotel, Kansas City; Kerner Hudson Dorr of the Denmore Hotel, Kansas City; James J. McTague of the Maryland Hotel, St. Louis; R. E. Stout, managing editor of the Kansas City Star, and several others.

#### The Charm of Columbia.

The first speaker was A. W. Douglas, vice-president of the Simmons Hardware Company of St. Louis, who made the trip to Columbia especially for the occasion. Mr. Douglas said in part:

"To one who is used to wandering over the face of the world such a tavern as this means a great deal. I think this is one of the most beautiful structures of its kind in the United States. And not only do you have one of the finest hotels in the country in Columbia, but you also have here the school that is the dearest and most precious in my mind—the University of Missouri."

"What impresses many in St. Louis is the way Columbia has made itself a place where people are glad to live. I am watching your progress with eager interest all the time."

A. T. Dumm of Jefferson City, a member of the Missouri State Legislature, expressed his appreciation of the enterprise shown by Columbia in erecting the Daniel Boone Tavern, and likened the faith of Columbians in the future progress of this city to the faith in themselves that led Daniel Boone and his contemporaries to brave the wilderness in breaking the path for the spread of civilization in Missouri. He emphasized the present need for men with faith in their country and the courage to sacrifice for it in the present world crisis.

#### Days of Trail Blazing.

Dean Walter Williams compared the present days with those to come. His address in part follows:

"These are days of glory as well as days that are grim; these are days of trail blazing, not as Daniel Boone blazed the trail on which this hotel is located through the West in seeking salt licks and coon skins and bears. There are no more countries to discover. But in these days consciences are being discovered; national conscience and a world conscience are

#### Yesterday's Football Results.

Kansas 33, Kansas Normal 0  
Washington 26, Lombard 14  
Nebraska 27, Iowa 0  
Creighton 12, Drake 3  
Ohio 40, Northwestern 0  
Minnesota 64, South Dakota 0  
Chicago 48, Vanderbilt 0

#### Oklahoma Couldn't Score.

By Associated Press  
CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Oct. 13.—Open field running characterized the football game between Illinois and Oklahoma Universities here today in which Illinois won, 24 to 0. Abbott, one of Oklahoma's light halfbacks, returned the ball from kickoff in a manner that surprised Illinois. Oklahoma attempted many forward passes and gained consistently until the Illinois goal was threatened, then Coach Zuppeke's protégés strengthened and kept their goal line uncrossed. Illinois ended the game with a team of substitutes.

being discovered. We are blazing the trail to larger things in these days.

"I am more concerned with the days to come than these days. No age in world history has had its mind fixed on the future more than these days. But in passing I might say that we must look to the present. Unless we improve the condition of the trail on which this hotel is located, it will make the Daniel Boone Tavern look like a diamond on a dirty shirt. We must make the Old Trails Highway safe for democracy."

#### A Look Into the Future.

Assuming the role of prophet, Dean Williams predicted the end of the divine rights of kings and of kaiserism within the next year.

"The coming days will bring also a spiritual change," he added, "that will ring us nearer God. The days that are to come will be as we make them, not as we dream they will be."

After the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner," Mrs. L. W. St. Clair Moss, president of Christian College, read a poem of her own composition entitled "Greetings to Rebecca Bryan Boone," in commemoration of the part the wife of Daniel Boone played in the task of spreading civilization over Missouri.

The banquet ended with the singing of "Old Missouri" and "Auld Lang Syne." The tables were immediately cleared from the floor, and dancing began. "Home Sweet Home" was played at midnight.

#### D. A. R. HEARS STATE REPORT

Ambulance Unit to Be Established and Supported by Women.

The local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met yesterday in the Daniel Boone Tavern parlors with Mrs. L. W. Dumas, Jr., Misses Jennie and Mary Haggard and Miss Mary Fiske as hostesses. Mrs. J. E. Thornton, newly elected state registrar, Mrs. J. G. Babb, Miss Caroline Sampson and Mrs. A. H. Shepard gave a report of the state convention held at Marshall.

A 20-cent per capita tax was voted by the state organization to maintain a camp mother at each of the four camps where Missouri boys are stationed. An additional fund is to be raised soon to establish and support a Missouri ambulance unit during the war.

A musical program was given after the reports by Misses Annie L. Johnson and Marcia W. Bailey of Christian College. Refreshments were served.

#### GRAINGER CONCERT TOMORROW

First of Phi Alpha Series to Begin at 8:15 O'clock.

The opening program of the Phi Mu Alpha Series for the 1917-18 season will be given at 8:15 o'clock tomorrow night in the University Auditorium by Percy Grainger, Australian composer-pianist. Mr. Grainger is on a leave of absence while enlisted in the United States army as a private and turns over eighty-five per cent of his receipts to the American Red Cross. His program for tomorrow night is as follows:

1. Fantasia and Fugue.....Bach-Liszt
2. To Spring.....Grieg
3. Reflections in the Water.....Debussy
4. Prelude in A Flat.....Chopin
5. Polonaise.....Chopin
6. Sonata in G Minor.....Schumann
7. The Gumsuckers March.....Grainger
8. One More Day (Folk Song).....Grainger
9. Irish Tune.....Grainger
10. Irish Dance.....Stanford-Grainger

#### NEGRO BOOTLEGGING TO JAIL

Besides Prison Sentence Marshall Is Fined \$300.

Rome Marshall, a negro cook, was found guilty in the Circuit Court yesterday for bootlegging. He was sentenced to six months in the county jail and fined \$300. According to the evidence, Marshall sold a pint of whisky to Henry Daniels last Sunday afternoon. Daniels became drunk and told officers where he obtained the liquor. Marshall's arrest followed indictment by the grand jury Tuesday. Evidence was introduced by the defense seeking to show that the defendant was in Moberly at the time of the sale of the whisky. Several negroes from that city were placed upon the stand.

## CONCERN IS FELT FOR LIBERTY LOAN

Only \$600,000,000 Is Subscribed With Half of Campaign Period Gone.

### TWO WEEKS REMAIN

New Impetus Necessary to Reach Five Billion Mark Aimed At.

By Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The tardiness of the country in responding to the second Liberty Loan is causing deep concern to officials here. President Wilson and his cabinet are watching the campaign with great interest.

With half of the campaign time gone, Treasury officials estimated tonight that not much more than \$600,000,000 had been subscribed. It has become apparent that a new and tremendous impetus must be given to the campaign if the subscription is to approximate \$5,000,000,000.

The whole weight of the Administration is to be used for the rest of the campaign and a drive of dimensions unapproached heretofore is to be made during the two weeks that remain before the closing of the subscription books.

A new factor calculated to hearten the hosts of workers and to galvanize the country in the realization that the most strenuous efforts must be made will be introduced into the campaign probably within twenty-four hours.

#### August Busch Buys \$1,000,000 Worth.

By Associated Press  
ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—August A. Busch today subscribed \$1,000,000 to the Liberty Loan on behalf of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association.

#### FRANK N. WESCOTT DIES

Typhoid Fever Fatal to Columbia Young Man in Cincinnati.

Funeral services for Frank Nelson Wescott, son of Prof. A. L. Wescott, superintendent of the University buildings, who died Friday in Cincinnati, probably will be held at 10 o'clock Monday morning at the Presbyterian Church. Definite arrangements will be made today, when A. L. Wescott, the father, arrives with the body.

Mr. Wescott was 22 years old. He had been ill with typhoid fever for eight weeks and suffered a relapse last week. He was graduated from the School of Engineering in 1916, and had been associated with an engineering firm in Cincinnati. Mr. Wescott was a member of the Presbyterian Church and formerly took an active part in the mission work of the church here, as well as in Y. M. C. A. work.

Besides his parents, a sister, Miss Mary Alice Wescott, survives.

#### TO BUILD MISSOURI HALL THERE

\$125 Raised Here For Girls' Dormitory in India.

The missionary "love gift" of \$125, which has been raised by the women of the Christian Church, will be used to aid in building a girls' dormitory in Bilaspur, India. The women of Missouri are trying to raise \$5,000 for the dormitory, which will be known as Missouri Hall.

"Africa" was the subject of the all-day meeting held yesterday at the church by the Ladies' Aid Society. The Bethany Circle, composed of University girls, who are members of the Christian Church, were guests.

#### A NEW HEATING PLANT SOON

Stephens College to Spend \$12,000 for Improvements.

A contract was let by the Board of Curators of Stephens College for the erection of a new heating plant and boiler house. The firm of Davis & Edwards, which is building the new dormitory, was awarded the contract. The Columbia Plumbing and Heating Company will install the boilers, which are to be of the smokeless type. The plant will be large enough to heat an administration building which Stephens College hopes to build soon. The total improvements will cost approximately \$12,000.

#### Services at Broadway M. E. Church.

Sunday School will at 9:30 o'clock. There will be three large classes for University students, with Mrs. Turner McBaine, P. P. Gutekunst and the Rev. Halberstadt will teach. Morning worship will be at 10:45 o'clock. The Rev. Halberstadt will preach on "The Eternal Conflict." Special musical numbers will be sung by the choir. Evening worship will be held at 7:30 o'clock. The Rev. Hayne will speak on "Losing Our Past." Intermediate League will meet in the chapel at 6:30 o'clock. The Senior League will hold its meeting at the same hour in the basement of the church. Raymond Crowe will lead the Senior League. His subject will be "Putting Religion into Politics." This is Student Sunday and all students are invited to attend.

## GERMANS MENACING ROUTE TO PETROGRAD

Kaiser's Troops Land on Two Islands in the Gulf of Riga.

### DANGER IS FORESEEN

Movement to Outflank the Russian Line Regarded as Possible.

By Associated Press  
LONDON, Oct. 13.—The German troops have landed on the islands of Oesel and Dago in the gulf of Riga, according to a Russian dispatch from Petrograd.

Oesel and Dago islands are at the entrance to the gulf of Riga and provide easy access to the mainland and to smaller islands on the way toward the capital. Dago Island is 200 miles from Petrograd and its position derives additional importance from the fact that it is almost at the mouth of the Gulf of Finland, at the head of which is Kronstadt, which defends Petrograd. Oesel Island is nearly 100 miles north of Riga, which the Germans captured recently.

The landing of troops on Astoria Island would threaten the outflanking of the Russian line and probably compel a retreat on a wide section of the front if, indeed, it did not open the way to Petrograd itself.

#### Says Submarines Will Win.

By Associated Press  
COPENHAGEN, Oct. 13.—Admiral Von Tirpitz, former minister of the German Imperial Navy, interviewed by the Brunswick Landis Zeitung is quoted as saying: "We can continue confidently to expect a final triumph over England as long as we can continue to sink vessels faster than she constructs them."

"A submarine war success cannot be expected immediately, but if we pursue our aim aggressively for some months we shall find England much more willing to discuss peace terms on a favorable basis than she is now."

"The shipping losses suffered by the Entente cannot continue indefinitely. No definite time can be fixed for our success, but economically and as regards war materials our position today is stronger than that of France and Italy. How far England can make her supplies last cannot be determined. The fact that we can raise and manufacture virtually all that is required in Germany for several months yet and England must ship four-fifths of hers from overseas will help us to bring that nation to her knees."

"We are now at the fateful hour of our existence. Germany cannot maintain her position as a world power against England unless her position is founded on might."

#### TODAY IS STUDENT SUNDAY

Effort Will be Made to Increase College Membership.

This is Student Sunday, observed each year on the first or second Sunday in October. On this day a country-wide effort of the churches to get students interested in church work is made. All the churches in Columbia will co-operate today in getting as many students as possible to become members of their respective churches. At the expiration of the student's residence here, his membership will go back to his former church. Some of the churches have canvassed the students and given personal invitations to come to church today. It is a day given especially to students and special features will be observed in most of the churches. Heretofore, the services of this day for the students has been the means of many additions to the church.

One-fourth of the student body is Methodist. During the last calendar year, more than 1,000 students were of that denomination. The average student membership in the Methodist church is from 200 to 300, but an increase of from fifty to hundred is expected tomorrow. The Rev. W. L. Halberstadt associate pastor of Broadway Methodist Church, in charge of work among students, says that there are more Methodist students here than there are in the three Methodist colleges in Missouri. Printed invitations to become an affiliate member of this church will be given out to the students tomorrow.

#### Picnic for Cosmopolitan Club.

S. K. Cho entertained the Cosmopolitan Club at a picnic at Rollins Spring Friday night. Prof. J. E. Wrench and Mrs. Wrench were chaplains. P. O. Shinji of Tokio gave a sword dance. S. K. Cho gave a Korean native song. Hui Lamis sang a Chinese song. Miss Signo Treestovous danced. Helena Wrench danced and Mrs. L. Rosebraugh told stories.

#### Burnett Family Moves to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Burnett and son, Davis, left today for Salida, Colo., where they will make their home. They have lived on a farm near Columbia for the last seven years.

## THE WEATHER

(Report Issued Saturday)  
For Columbia and Vicinity: Sunday partly cloudy and warmer.  
For Missouri: Sunday partly cloudy and warmer.

**Weather Conditions.**  
The high pressure wave has traveled southward and this morning is over the southeastern part of the country, carrying with it clear skies, and bringing cool weather, and also giving frost to the central parts of Louisiana, Mississippi, and Alabama.

West of the Mississippi River the weather is growing warmer, as it is under the influence of a low pressure system, the center of which is in southeastern Alberta.

No rain has fallen in the great grain states of in the cotton region for some time; but frost was quite general in the principal cotton belt last night.

In Columbia the present clear sky will gradually become more or less overcast Sunday, and there is a probability of rain Sunday night. The temperature will range above the freezing point.

**Local Data.**  
The highest temperature in Columbia Friday was 48 degrees and the lowest Friday night was 23; relative humidity 7 p. m. Friday 41 per cent. A year ago Friday the highest temperature was 75 and the lowest 53; precipitation 0.00 inch.

(Forecast for the week beginning today)  
For the Plains States and Upper and Middle Mississippi Valley: Fair weather will prevail in the plains states. There will be a short shower period in the Middle and Upper Mississippi Valleys Monday and again about Thursday, otherwise fair weather. There will be frequent alternations from warm to cool.

## PIERSOL RESTS CASE

Defendant in Keets Trial Clings to Denial of Kidnaping Charge.

By Associated Press

MARSHFIELD, Mo., Oct. 13.—The defense in the trial of Claude Piersol, charged with abducting Lloyd Keets, rested its case today after the youthful defendant had successfully held to his story through a grilling cross examination. Piersol maintained that he had absolutely nothing to do with kidnapping Lloyd Keets, nor plots to abduct any other person. He steadfastly clung to the denial that he wrote the so-called ransom letters and rendered an account of what he claimed was his action throughout the day and night of May 30.

#### UNION BOARD MEETS HERE

Directors Discuss Finances at the Columbia Meeting.

R. B. Caldwell of Kansas City, president of the board of directors of the Missouri Union, after a meeting of the board yesterday, said that he wanted to express his appreciation of the financial help that the people of Columbia and University had given to the Union. He said he is assured that the alumni of Kansas City and St. Louis will do their part and that the union will soon be in a sound financial condition.

Reports on the campaign for funds in St. Louis and Kansas City were made. The campaign in Kansas City is for \$1,000 from the alumni and is being conducted by Mr. Caldwell. It is planned to have fifty alumni give \$20 each. In a few hours last Friday when the campaign started nearly \$200 was raised. The St. Louis campaign is for \$1,500 and is under the direction of Forrest C. Donnell. Some of the money has already been raised.

Plans were made at yesterday's meeting to provide separate quarters for the women of the University. The work of finding a suitable building will begin soon. Until that time the \$2 membership fee for women was approved.

The out-of-town members of the board present are: R. B. Caldwell, Kansas City; T. T. Crittenden, Jr., Kansas City; Miss Gertrude Blodgett, St. Louis; Mrs. Earl F. Nelson, St. Louis. Five student members were elected to represent divisions in the University as follows: Miss Meryl Level, Education; George Irion, Engineering; J. A. Walden, Law; H. E. Rasmussen, Journalism; L. R. Fuller, Graduate.

Plans were perfected for a meeting of the alumni of the University in Kansas City Friday, November 16. The State Teachers' Association will be in session there at the same time. President A. Ross Hill will be present and banquet will be given Friday night to which all the alumni will be invited.

The organization of the state in county alumni associations was discussed.

#### THE PAGEANT TO KANSAS CITY?

"Progress of Liberty" May Be Given at Teachers' Convention.

It is probable that the "Progress of Liberty," Miss F. Nardin's historical pageant, will be given at Kansas City as a part of the program of the State Teachers' Convention which will meet there in November. Linwood Taft, who is in charge of the work of arranging the schedule of the pageant productions throughout the state, has had several letters from Kansas City people regarding the possible production of the pageant there. The first state production of the pageant will be given in Marshall.

#### The Rev. C. M. Sharpe Here.

The Rev. C. M. Sharpe, former dean of the Bible College, is visiting in Columbia.

## SOX, ON HOME FIELD, IN 8-TO-5 VICTORY

Again the Chicago Americans Lead Giants in the World's Series.

### SALLEE FAILS AGAIN

Russell Starts for White Sox, But Cicotte Soon Replaces Him.

By Associated Press

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—In a game that thrilled and enthralled 27,000 spectators this afternoon the Chicago Americans scrambled into the World's Series lead again by defeating the New York Nationals, 8 to 5, and swinging to the fore, three games to two. It was a contest that ran the gamut of baseball from sensational and brilliant to mediocre, but never during the two hours and thirty-seven minutes of battle did it lose its intense hold on the spectators and at its conclusion the fans were almost as exhausted as the players.

Sallee pitched for the Giants and for the second time lost his game. Russell started for Chicago, but after he had walked Burns, Herzog had singled and Kauff had hit a two-bagger, Cicotte replaced him in the first inning.

The game will not go down into the World's Series history as a diamond battle with either outstanding skill or baseball perfection. It abounded with errors of omission and commission and was marred by misplays. The two clubs tonight again started to the Polo Grounds at New York, where the sixth game will be played Monday, and the seventh, if necessary, on Tuesday.

The club owners and the National Commission profited handsomely as the result of today's receipts by the official attendance was 27,323 and the gate receipts \$69,403. Of this sum the two clubs received \$31,231.35 each and the National Commission \$6,943.36.

After having gone twenty-four innings without scoring a run against the Giants, the Sox turned today and piled up eight tallies, while the losers collected five, making a total for the game of thirteen, more than half as many as the entire scoring of the two teams in the first four clats.

In making these thirteen runs the batters piled up an aggregate of twenty-six hits and nine fielding errors thrown in for good measure. Seventy-seven batters faced six pitchers and, while there were unlimited thrills and a tense situation, there was no one player who could claim the spotlight of heroism in this melange of hits, errors, fielding flashes and sprints from base to base.

#### It Was Cold in Chicago.

By Associated Press  
CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—The weather today was less suggestive of a ball game than of starting the Christmas shopping early. Although the New York Nationals and the Chicago Americans were to meet here for the fifth game of the World's series this afternoon the line in front of Comiskey Park did not start to form until 4 o'clock this morning and only 300 fans were counted in the line at daybreak.

Although the utmost importance is attached to today's conflict scalpers tickets were way below the prices demanded for the first two games a week ago. Box seats were obtainable at \$15 and reserves in the grand stand at \$10. This was in part due to the increased supply of paste cards offered by persons who had seen the first two games of the series.

Playing on the home grounds was counted on by Chicagoans as a factor in favor of the White Sox in today's game.

New York	Chicago
Burns, lf	J. Collins, rf
Herzog, 2b	McMullin, 3b
Kauff, cf	E. Collins, 2b
Zimmerman, 3b	Kanich, lf
Fletcher, ss	Jacks, cf
Robertson, rf	Gandil, 1b
Holke, 1b	Weaver, ss
Hariden, c	Schalk, c
Sallee, p	Russell, p
Umpire: Rigler, Evans, O'Loughlin and Klem.	

#### WAR LIBRARIAN TO SPEAK

Assembly Lecture at University by Theodore W. Koch.

Theodore W. Koch of Washington, chief of the Order Division of the Library of Congress, will give an illustrated lecture Tuesday night in the University Auditorium on "London in War Times." He will give an account of the movement to furnish libraries in the trenches and in the military camps in Europe.

Mr. Koch has spent several months in London and a few weeks in Amsterdam for the purpose of supplying magazines to the various libraries of the country. In 1913 Mr. Koch gave a lecture before the general assembly on the development of libraries. He assisted in the details of the plans for the building of the University Library.